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John Bassett of Somerford County Esq.
James Maynard of Somerford County
John Bassett Esq. Plaintiff
James Maynard Esq. Defendant of his goods (tobacco & tobacco) of a
Maynard of this County directed him to be attached to answer
unto Joseph Barnes of a place of debt & to answer — and
and whereupon the said Joseph by Robt. Parris the Attorney complained
that whereas James Maynard the 24. day of March in the year of
Lord 1689². at Snow Hill within the jurisdiction of this Court becom-
med & bound unto the said Joseph in the full quantity of One thousand pounds
of good sound Merchantable tobacco by two certain Bills of Exchange which is
said Joseph brought here into Court the date whereof is the day & year
aforesaid, where aforesaid sum of tobacco the said James bound himself
two Pounds Sterling to pay to the said Joseph Pounds Sterling for the sum
of 1000 pounds of tobacco rate not paid according to the tenor of the Bill
aforesaid, but fraudulently & craftily the sum of tobacco and rate obtained
to refuse to pay & doth still refuse to pay although the sum required by
the said Joseph to the damage of the said Joseph of 2000. Of tobacco & the sum
he brought this date. etc. Parris Esq. Recd. Jno. Day Esq. (Rich. Day)

John Bassett and James Maynard me my Hand Extent and witness
to pay unto Joseph Barnes or his Heirs or Assigns the sum of one thousand
pounds of good sound Merchantable tobacco & rates to be paid by the 21st day of
October next ensuing, Witness my hand & seal the 21. day of March
1689².
James Maynard.

C. Wm Willmett
Wm Barnes.

This Bill being read by Robt Hanes Court Confess judgment for
the sum of tobacco (if due) & thereupon the Court grants order
accordingly, also Execution.

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and whereupon the said John, by Robt. Parris the Attorney complained
that said John the 2. day of March, in the year of Lord God 1689. at Snow Hill within
the jurisdiction of this Court by a certain bond with a condition in the same under
his hand & seal of the same bringed here into Court the date whereof is this day and
year aforesaid, did acknowledge himself to be bound to the said John in full & just
of twelve thousand pounds of good sound Merchantable tobacco & rates contained
in some hundred weight towns or London in the aforesaid County at or upon 30 day
of October next ensuing the date aforesaid, to be delivered to the said John
sum of 1200 pounds of tobacco aforesaid according to the tenor of the said bond and as aforesaid
the said John Errett his heirs and assigns, but he hath hitherto refused to doe otherwise
pay although often demanded to the damage of the said John in the sum of 24000
pounds of tobacco aforesaid to be brought into his hands.

Parris Esq. Recd. Robt Hanes. Jno. Day Esq. Rich. Day